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# Federal Unemployment Insurance Plan Covers 26,000,000 Persons

Fund Is Collected Exclusively from Employers by Payroll Tax—Workers in Establishments with Less Than Eight Employees Are Excluded—Jobs Not Required to Accept Unfair Work.

By A. F. of L. News Service.  
Millions of workers will have protection against the loss of work by long periods of lack of work by the Federal Unemployment Insurance Act recently passed by Congress and signed by President Roosevelt. The measure does not establish a Federal unemployment insurance fund for the jobs.

**Many Exemptions**  
It authorizes the Federal Government to levy a tax on the payroll of all employers of eight or more persons within 26 weeks of any year except the following: Agricultural labor, domestic service in a private home, or member of the crew of a vessel on the navigable waters of the United States; individual in the employ of his son, daughter, or spouse, or under 21 years in the employ of his parent; Federal, State and local public employees of institutions operated for religious, educational, charitable, scientific, literary or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals; and such other classes as the President may determine.

The must payroll tax is fixed at 1 per cent of wages not over \$5,000 per year in 1937 and 3 per cent thereafter. The estimated total of 26,000,000 persons will be covered by the tax.

No tax is levied on employers of less than eight persons. Unemployment compensation is not to be paid to workers directly by the Federal Government.

**Conditions for State Plans**  
The fund resulting from the tax is to be used to pay unemployment compensation to workers in establishments of eight or more persons which have established State unemployment insurance plans in accordance with conditions set forth in the law and approved by the Social Security Board which the Act creates. Some of these conditions are:

The State law must be approved by the Social Security Board. Methods of administering State laws must be reasonably calculated to insure payment of unemployment compensation when due. Unemployment compensation must be made available to workers in establishments of eight or more persons which have established State unemployment insurance plans. The State law must provide for a fair hearing, before an impartial tribunal, for individuals who are denied unemployment compensation or who are denied benefits under the State law. It is also provided that if the Social Security Board finds that the State law is not being administered properly, it may suspend the State law.

# Motor Magnates Pay Themselves Big Salaries; Keep Workers' Wages Low

Three General Motors Officials Grab an Average of \$185,000 Each—Packard and Chrysler Pay Its President \$40,329; Borg-Warner, \$33,910; Buick Aviation Corporation, \$45,129; Houdaille-Hershey, \$34,500.

By A. F. of L. News Service.  
Detroit, Mich.—Enormously large salaries for officials of the automobile manufacturing companies and automobile workers, coupled with low wages for workers, characterized the annual manufacturing industry, according to a study by the Social Security Board, general manager of the American Federation of Labor, in charge of the Social Security Board's Division of Statistics.

These figures mean that the three top executives of the automobile industry received an average of \$185,000 each, while the average worker received \$1,600 per year. The salaries paid four other officials amounted to \$65,557.56. Their awards under the bonus system were \$19,739.18, \$19,739.18, \$19,739.18, and \$19,739.18. The Social Security Board's study of the salaries of the top executives of the automobile industry, according to a study by the Social Security Board, general manager of the American Federation of Labor, in charge of the Social Security Board's Division of Statistics.

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# Government Subsidizes State Old-Age Pension Plans \$49,000,000 First Year

Federal Contribution Is Fixed at Not More Than \$15 Per Month—Starts Out With 65 Years as Limit.

By A. F. of L. News Service.  
Under the Social Security law recently enacted by Congress the Government is appropriating \$49,000,000 for the purpose of enabling each State to build up adequate pension systems for the aged. The law provides that the Federal Government does not pay the old-age pension directly to the recipients. The States that have been required to establish their own pension system with certain conditions must be approved by the Social Security Board set up by the law to administer the plan.

The Federal Government's contribution is limited to 50 per cent of the amount which the State pays to the pensioners. The States are required to pay the balance of the pension from their own funds. The Federal Government's contribution is limited to 50 per cent of the amount which the State pays to the pensioners. The States are required to pay the balance of the pension from their own funds.

**WESTINGHOUSE WORKERS WIN 5% WAGE INCREASE**  
Pittsburgh, Pa. (APLNS)—With the evident purpose of attempting to quiet the unrest among its employees because of low wages, the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company announced that a wage rate survey which would result in a 5 per cent increase in wages for its employees was being made.

**WORKERS WIN UNION SHOP**  
Los Angeles, Calif. (APLNS)—After a long battle, the workers of the Los Angeles-based non-union products of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company have won the right to a union shop. The workers have won the right to a union shop. The workers have won the right to a union shop.

# Guffey-Snyder Coal Stabilization Measure Is Enacted by Congress

Sets Up Commission With Broad Regulatory Powers—Guarantees Labor's Right to Organize—Bans Company Unions, Company Houses and Company Stores—Provides for Price-Fixing, Maximum Hours and Minimum Wages—Labor Relations Will Be Adjusted by Coal Labor Board.

By A. F. of L. News Service.  
Washington, D. C.—The House of Representatives and the Senate passed the Guffey-Snyder Coal Stabilization Bill to regulate the bituminous coal industry through a National Bituminous Coal Commission.

Labor relations in the industry will be adjusted by a Bituminous Coal Labor Board. The bill provides for the establishment of a Bituminous Coal Labor Board. The bill provides for the establishment of a Bituminous Coal Labor Board. The bill provides for the establishment of a Bituminous Coal Labor Board.

# Congress Passes Cresser-Wagner Railroad Employes Pension Act

Provides Annuities for Workers Over 65 Years Old and For Those With 30 Years Service Regardless of Age—Covers 1,100,000 Employees—65,000 Eligible for Retirement Now—Maximum Pension Is \$120 Per Month.

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# CANTON PLANS BIG EVENT AFL Council Brands Untrue Commerce Dept. Claim That Labor Gets Larger Share of National Income Than in 1929

By A. F. of L. News Service.  
Canton, Ohio—Canton Central Labor Union has planned a big Labor Day celebration which William Greer, president of the American Federation of Labor, will be the chief speaker.

The 15 clock noon there will be a reception and luncheon for Mr. Greer and for Rev. Father Francis Haas, labor, co-ordinator, at the Club LaSalle. The luncheon will be attended by labor leaders from all parts of Ohio.

"Our program on the afternoon of Labor Day," said Chas. W. Weeks, chairman of the Labor Day Committee, "will begin promptly at 2 o'clock from the platform at Myers Lake Park."

"President Greer's address will be broadcast through the courtesy of the National Broadcasting company promptly at 2:45 P. M. The Akron and Alliance Central Labor Unions are cooperating very closely, and we will have a large attendance for this program which will consist of President Greer's address, an address by Father Haas and other short talks."

In connection with the celebration the AFL Council has announced a souvenir edition of the Canton Labor Union, which contains a list of the names of the members of the union, and a list of the names of the members of the union.

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